



Islip, NY – Islip Town Supervisor Phil Nolan (third from right) recently presented the first-ever History Awards to recognize individuals and organizations that have made significant contributions to preserving Town history. The awards ceremony was held at Islip Town Hall.

The inaugural honorees were Jim Carleton, Priscilla Hancock, Harry Havemeyer, and the Bohemia Historical Society. Also in attendance were former Islip Supervisors Michael A. LoGrande and Peter Fox Cohalan, for whom two of the awards are named.

Pictured (front row, left to right) are Robert Finnegan, Islip Town Historian; Priscilla Hancock; Michael A. LoGrande; Supervisor Nolan; Peter Fox Cohalan; Councilman Chris Bodkin; (back row) Councilman John Edwards; Town Clerk Regina Duffy; Councilman Steve Flotteron; and Councilman Gene Parrington.